

COST ACTION CA17118 - IDENTIFYING BIOMARKERS THROUGH TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH FOR PREVENTION AND STRATIFICATION OF COLORECTAL CANCER (TRANSCOLOCAN)

Science communication committee duties

- Science communication or dissemination is defined as the public disclosure of COST Action's results by any appropriate means.
- Build a communication strategy and implement the following tools to communicate outputs and activities of the action:
 - ✓ Announcements in specialized journals reaching to new participants when starting the Action
 - ✓ An Action-specific website: dedicated to communication and promotion of information about the on-going research, publications, meetings, workshops, conferences, training schools, STSMs and other activities. Part of the website will be accessible to the general public, whereas a section will be password-protected for the exchange of specific information and unpublished data between partners by using FAIR data stewardship.
 - ✓ Other social media (LinkedIn, Facebook Twitter,...)
 - ✓ Scientific publications in specialized and peer-reviewed journals either in the form of original, review, or technical articles reporting recommendations, standards or protocols.
 - ✓ Press releases for events as well as advertisements in the local media whenever useful.
- Remind participants about the available budget for open-access publications related to the Action. They must be co-authored by Action Participants from at least 3 different COST countries. Prioritize when necessary if applications exceed the available budget for a grant period.
- Follow the [Guidelines for the communication, dissemination and exploitation of COST Action results and outcomes](#).
- Integrate a reference to the COST programme and acknowledge the support of EU funding, as indicated at <http://www.cost.eu/media/dissemination-corporate-identity>.
- Comply with COST rules (Vademecum).
- Remind participants to disseminate the Action when attending international conferences.
- Remind participants to acknowledge the Action in research articles ("This article is based upon work from COST Action CA17118, supported by COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology). www.cost.eu").
- Keep track of all publications from participants during the lifetime of the Action, either acknowledging it or not.
- Stay in close contact with the COST Science Communications Officer (Silvia Alexe, silvia.alex@cost.eu) and talk to other science communication committee from other Actions
- Aim for the distribution of the research conclusions, protocols and recommendations back to the society.
- Take into account gender balance, young researchers and inclusiveness targeted countries (ITC) policies.
- Design Final Action Dissemination (FAD) material, to disseminate the Action's results obtained during its lifetime (e.g. special issue in a journal related to the discipline).